

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A flocked assembly, comprising flock and a pre-formed, solid, and self-supporting thermosetting film, wherein the flock is in contact with and adhered to the thermosetting film, wherein the thermosetting film is free of an acrylic adhesive, wherein substantially all free ends of the flock contact the thermosetting film, wherein the thermosetting film has a substantially uniform thickness and substantially flat upper and lower surfaces, and wherein the thermosetting film is not adhered to a ~~permanent~~ substrate.
2. (Original) A transfer comprising the flocked assembly of claim 1.
3. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 2, wherein first ends of said flock is adhered to a release sheet by a release agent and wherein the thermosetting film contacts opposing second ends of the flock.
4. (Previously Presented) The transfer of claim 3, wherein said transfer is adhered to a substrate and wherein the transfer is free of a hot melt adhesive.
5. (Previously Presented) The transfer of claim 4, wherein said transfer is adhered to said substrate by the thermosetting film and wherein the thermosetting film comprises a thermosetting polyester.
6. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein the thermosetting film is a thermosetting polyurethane film or a thermosetting polyester film.

7. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein the thermosetting film is precut to correspond to a shape of the transfer and wherein the thermosetting film is a thermosetting polyurethane.

8. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 3, wherein the release agent and release sheet are located on a first surface of the flock and the thermosetting film is positioned on a second surface of the flock and the first and second surfaces are in an opposing relationship.

9. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein the thermosetting film is crosslinked.

10. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein there is no binder adhesive located between the thermosetting film and the flock.

11. (Currently Amended) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein the thermosetting film is applied subsequently to a substrate and the thermosetting film preformed before application to the flock and substrate.

12. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein the thermosetting film is not fully crosslinked.

13. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein the flock is in direct physical contact with the thermosetting film.

14. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein the thermosetting film is not fully activated.

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42. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 1, wherein the thermosetting film is continuous.

43. (Currently Amended) A flocked assembly, comprising:
flock; and
a solid thermosetting film, wherein the flock is in contact with and adhered to the thermosetting film, wherein the thermosetting film is free of an acrylic adhesive and wherein the thermosetting film is not adhered to a ~~permanent~~-substrate.

44. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 43, wherein the thermosetting film is pre-formed and self-supporting, wherein substantially all free ends of the flock contact the thermosetting film, and wherein the thermosetting film has a substantially uniform thickness and substantially flat upper and lower surfaces.

45. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 43, further comprising:
a release sheet; and
a release agent in contact with the carrier sheet, wherein first ends of said flock are adhered to the release sheet by the release agent and wherein the thermosetting film contacts opposing second ends of the flock.

46. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 45, wherein the flock is not in contact with a hot melt adhesive.

47. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 46, wherein the thermosetting film comprises a thermosetting polyester and wherein the thermosetting film is not in contact with a hot melt adhesive.

48. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 47, wherein the thermosetting film is a thermosetting polyurethane film or a thermosetting polyester film.

49. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 43, wherein the flocked assembly is a transfer, wherein the thermosetting film is precut to correspond to a shape of the transfer, and wherein the thermosetting film is a thermosetting polyurethane.

50. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 43, wherein the thermosetting film is not fully crosslinked.

51. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 43, wherein there is no binder adhesive located between the thermosetting film and the flock.

52. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 43, wherein the flock is in direct physical contact with the thermosetting film.

53. (Previously Presented) The flocked assembly of claim 43, wherein the thermosetting film is not fully activated.